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INVENTION: "A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING BED AVAILABILITY
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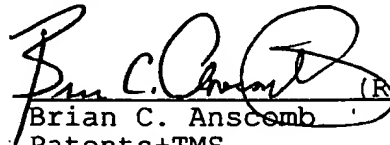
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Appellant submits herewith Appellant's Reply Brief in response
to the Examiner's Answer mailed May 25, 2006.

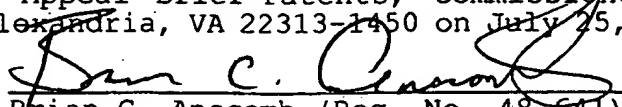
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